

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

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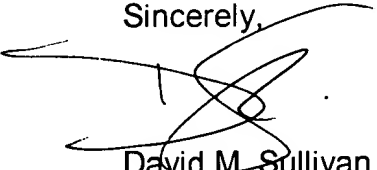
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1. Amendment Transmittal Letter (Small Entity);
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity);
3. Response to Office Action dated 4/9/03;
4. check in the amount of \$475.00; and
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